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Mark A. KAMPE et al.

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR

MANAGING HIGH-AVAILABILITY-

AWARE COMPONENTS IN A

NETWORKED COMPUTER SYSTEM:

SUBMISSION OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Supplementing the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in this application on May 2, 2001, Applicants submit herewith a newly-executed Supplemental Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney to hereby include priority data that was inadvertently omitted in the first Combined

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Declaration and Power of Attorney. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1349. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. Please address all further correspondence to Customer Number 24633.

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